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Prior Application:

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Sir: This is a request for filing a

[] Continuation

application under 37 CFR 1.53(b)

[X] Divisional

of pending prior application Serial No. 10/092,036 filed on March 6, 2002 of Larry W. Nelson et al.

for COAXIAL CABLE JUMPER ASSEMBLY INCLUDING PLATED OUTER CONDUCTOR
AND ASSOCIATED METHODS

- 1. [X] Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, including the oath or declaration as originally filed and an affidavit or declaration verifying it as a true copy.
- 2. []Prepare a copy of the prior application.
- 3 [X] A preliminary amendment is enclosed. (Claims added by this amendment have been properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered original claim in the prior application.)
- 4. [X] The filing fee is calculated below:

CLAIMS AS FILED IN THE PRIOR APPLICATION, LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELED BY AMENDMENT BELOW:

	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)	SMALL ENTITY		LARGE ENTITY	
FOR:	# FILED		# EXTRA	RATE	FEE	RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE							\$ 770
TOTAL CLAIMS	3	-20	3	X 9		X 18	\$ 54
INDEP CLAIMS	2	- 3	0	X 43		X 86	
* If the difference in Col. 1 is less than "0", enter "0" in Col. 2.				TOTAL		TOTAL	\$ 824

- 5. [X]A check in the amount of \$824.00 is enclosed. If any additional extension and/or fee is required, or if any additional fee for claims is required, charge Account No. 01-0484.
- 6. **[X]**Cancel in this application original claims <u>1-36</u> of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.
- 7. [X]Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
 --This application is a divisional of Serial No. 10/092,036 filed on March
 6, 2002, the disclosure of which is hereby incorporated by reference in its
 entirety.--
- 8. [] Transfer the drawings from the prior application to this application and abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this application. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for filing in the prior application file. (May only be used if signed by person authorized by Rule 138 and before payment of base issue fee.)
- 9a. [X]New formal drawings are enclosed.

 9b. []Priority of application Serial No. _____ filed on _____ in ___ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119. ____ (country)

 9c. []The certified copy has been filed in prior application Serial No. ____ filed ____.

 10. [X]The prior application is assigned of record to CommScope Properties,

- 11. [X] Citation Under 37 CFR 1.97 and PTO-1449.
- 12. [X]The power of attorney in the prior application is to: Christopher F. Regan, Reg. No. 34,906; Herbert L. Allen, Reg. No. 25,322; David L. Sigalow, Reg. No. 36,006; Richard K. Warther, Reg. No. 32,180; Michael W. Taylor, Reg. No. 43,182; Enrique Estevez, Reg. No. 37,823; Paul J. Ditmyer, Reg. No. 40,455; John F. Woodson, II, Reg. No. 45,236; and Charles E. Wands, Reg. No. 25,649; Jacqueline E. Hartt, Reg. No. 37,845; and Carl Napolitano, Reg. No. 37,405, all of Allen, Dyer, Milbrath & Gilchrist, P.A., P.O. Box 3791, Orlando, Florida 32802-3791.
- a. []The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.
- b. [X]Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.
- c. [X] PLEASE ADDRESS CORRESPONDENCE TO ATTORNEY OF RECORD: CHRISTOPHER F. REGAN
- d. [X] Please associate this application with Customer No. 27975.

- 13. [] Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- 14. [X] I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of prior application Serial No. 10/092,036 as originally filed on March 6, 2002.

The undersigned declare(s) further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

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Sir:

Enclosed are four (4) sheets of formal drawings to be filed in the above-identified patent application.

Respectfully submitted,

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